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Description							
Sexual assault of a student by a member of a school staff and providing a penalty							

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill makes it a crime for an individual who is or was a member of a school staff to have sexual contact or sexual intercourse with a person who is (or has been within one year of the contact or intercourse) a student at a school where the person is or was a member of the school staff.

A person who commits this crime is guilty of a Class H felony. A Class H felony includes a maximum of 3 years confinement in prison and 3 years extended supervision. The Department is unable to determine how many individuals would be convicted of having sexual contact or sexual intercourse with a person who is or was a student at a school where the person is or was a member of the school staff.

The average FY10 annual cost for an inmate in a DOC institution is approximately \$32,100. However, when there is excess capacity in DOC facilities, the incremental costs (i.e. food, health care, and clothing) of housing a small number of inmates is approximately \$5,100, based on FY10 costs. Should the Department use contract beds, the rate would be approximately \$18,800 annually per person. The average FY10 annual cost for an offender on extended supervision was \$2,800.

Jail costs may also increase if offenders are placed in jail rather than prison.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications